

[Translation]

Examinations Conducted by U.P.S.C.

4509. PROF RASA SINGH RAWAT:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of candidate who appeared in various examinations conducted by the Union Public Service Commission during the last year; and

(b) the medium of examination opted by them, the name of the examination and the number of candidates who opted for each medium?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA): (a) 3,24 117.

(b) Only in the case of Civil services (Main) Examination, 1990 and Section Officers/stenographers (Grade 'B' / Grade I) Limited Departmental Competitive Examination 1990, there is option available to the candidates for choosing a medium of examination. In other examinations conducted by

UPSC either the question papers are of objective type or the same is required to be answered only in English.

For Civil Services (Main) Examination, other than the language papers, candidates have option to write answers in English or in any of the languages included in the 8th Schedule to Constitution. Those who are called for interview on the basis of written part of Civil Services (main) Examination, have the facility of conversing either in English or in the medium opted by them for written test.

In respect of Section Officers/Stenographers (Grade 'B'/Grade) Limited Departmental Competitive Examination, candidates have option to choose either English or Hindi as medium of examination in respect of certain specified papers. In this examination there is no interview.

The media chosen by candidates and their number in the Civil Services (Main) Examination, 1990 (written part as well as interview) and the number of candidates choosing Hindi or English on certain specified papers in Section Officers/Stenographers Grade 'B' / Grade I limited Departmental Competitive Examination, 1990 are given below:

Medium opted by the candi- dates.	Civil Services (Main) Exam, 90	No. of candidates	Section Officers/ Stenographers' (Grade 'B'/ Grade) Limited Departmental Competitive Exam, 90.
	Written part	Interview	
Assamese	03	01	
Bengali	11	04	
Gujarati	35	12	

Medium opted by the candi- dates.	Civil Services (Main) Exam, 90 No. of candidates	Section Officers/ Stenographers' (Grade 'B') . Grade) Limited Departmental Competitive Exam, 90.
	Written part	Interview
Hindi	1451	149
Kannada	16	06
Kashmir	-	-
Malayalam	05	-
Marathi	24	07
Oriya	01	-
Punjabi	04	02
Sanskrit	-	-
Sindhi	01	-
Tamil	27	09
Telugu	91	15
Urdu	05	02
English	8447	1652
Total	10,121	900

[English]

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased
to state:**Scooters India Ltd.**

4510. SHRI CHETAN P.S
CHAUHAN:
KUMARI DIPIKA CHIKHLIA:
SHRIMATI MAHENDRA
KUMARI:

(a) whether the unit of M/s Scooters India Ltd. in Lucknow district has become sick;
(b) if so, the details thereof; and